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***Amendment***

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***"AN ACT CONCERNING EYE EXAMINATIONS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS."***

1 After line 48, insert the following and renumber the remaining  
2 section accordingly:

3 "Sec. 4. Section 10-212 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof:

5 (a) Each local or regional board of education shall appoint one or  
6 more school nurses or nurse practitioners. Such school nurses and  
7 nurse practitioners appointed by such boards shall be qualified  
8 pursuant to regulations adopted in accordance with the provisions of  
9 chapter 54 by the State Board of Education with the technical advice  
10 and assistance of the Department of Public Health. Such school nurses  
11 may also act as visiting nurses in the town, may visit the homes of  
12 pupils in the public schools and shall assist in executing the orders of  
13 the school medical advisor, if there is any in such town, and perform  
14 such other duties as are required by such board.

15        (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, any  
16 regulation of Connecticut state agencies or any policy of any local or  
17 regional board of education, nothing in this section shall be construed  
18 to prohibit the administering of medications by parents or guardians  
19 to their own children on school grounds."